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During the week of January 6-10, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service announced 5 commodity purchases totaling 12,149,800 pounds at a cost of \$8,999,000.

The purchases were: fresh frozen cut-up chicken, bulk pack chicken; frozen ground pork, frozen beef patties (100% beef and patties with vegetable protein product (VPP)), and bulk frozen ground beef and vegetable protein product. The frozen ground pork program is nearing completion.

All purchases were for school lunch and other domestic feeding programs with the bulk going to the school lunch program.

Offers were invited for: fresh frozen cut-up chicken, bulk pack chicken; frozen ground pork, frozen beef patties (100 beef and patties with vegetable protein product (VPP)), and bulk frozen ground beef and vegetable protein product.

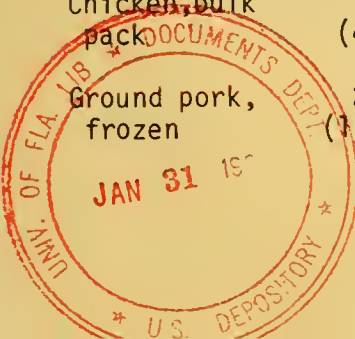
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WEEK'S PURCHASES

OFFERS INVITED

Commodity	Quantity ₁ / (1,000 lbs.)	Cost ₁ / (\$1,000)	Award range ₂ / 	Shipping period	Bids due	Acceptance by	Shipping period
Chicken, fresh frozen cut-up	6,726 (60,002)	4,106 (36,075)	\$0.5843- 0.6547	Feb 9- 22	Jan 17	Jan 23	Feb 23- Mar 8
Chicken, bulk pack	612 (4,752)	324 (2,466)	\$0.5148- 0.5400	Feb 9- 22	Jan 17	Jan 23	Feb 23- Mar 8
Ground pork, frozen	2,156 (17,864)	2,101 (16,642)	\$0.9500- 1.0042	Feb 9- 15	Jan 21	Jan 27	Feb 23- Mar 1



WEEK'S PURCHASES					OFFERS INVITED		
Commodity	Quantity ^{1/} (1,000 lbs.)	Cost ^{1/} (\$1,000)	Award range ^{2/}	Shipping period	Bids due	Acceptance by	Shipping period
Beef patties, frozen	2,117 (24,305)	1,992 (21,829)	\$0.8206- 1.1834 ^{3/}	Feb 9- 15	Jan 17	Jan 24	Feb 23- Mar 1
Ground beef, bulk frozen	539 (3,157)	476 (2,440)	\$0.8121- 0.9144	Feb 9- 15	Jan 17	Jan 24	Feb 23- Mar 1

^{1/} Upper figure is current week's purchase. Lower figure, in parentheses, is cumulative total for the ongoing purchase program.

^{2/} In dollars per pound.

^{3/} Frozen ground beef patties (100% beef) - \$0.9956 to \$1.1834 per pound;
frozen beef patties and VPP - \$0.8206 to \$0.8510 per pound.

AWARDS

FROZEN CHICKEN

COMMODITY A (CUT-UP)

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
CONAGRA POULTRY CO. NATCHITOCHES, LA		
SHREVEPORT, LA	152,000	0.5950
BEAUMONT, TX	114,000	0.6003
GRAMBLING, LA	38,000	0.5981

GOLD KIST, INC.

ATLANTA, GA		
KOKOMO, IN	76,000	0.5900
HELENA, MT	76,000	0.6203
BUFFALO, NY	38,000	0.5975
E. BERNSTADT, KY	38,000	0.5843
CLEVELAND, OH	114,000	0.5928
IOWA CITY, IA	38,000	0.5925

GREEN ACRE FARMS, INC.

WALNUT GROVE, MS		
JACKSON, MS	114,000	0.6060*
ST. LOUIS, MO	228,000	0.6045
DULUTH, MN	38,000	0.6191
CHICAGO, IL	114,000	0.6086
CLEARFIELD, UT	38,000	0.6534*
SANDY, UT	38,000	0.6534*
BISMARCK, ND	38,000	0.6521*
BAKERSFIELD, CA	38,000	0.6547*
COMPTON, CA	38,000	0.6534*
HATTIESBURG, MS	76,000	0.6130*
CASPER, WY	38,000	0.6547*
LITTLE ROCK, AR	76,000	0.6182*
LOS ANGELES, CA	342,000	0.6250
SAN FRANCISCO, CA	152,000	0.6250

O. K. FOODS INC.

FT. SMITH, AR		
ALBUQUERQUE, NM	38,000	0.6187
SEATTLE, WA	76,000	0.6452
KANSAS CITY, MO	114,000	0.6081
KENT, WA	38,000	0.6452
SACRAMENTO, CA	38,000	0.6344

NOTE: * INDICATES NINE-PIECE CUT; ALL OTHER COMMODITY A IS EIGHT-PIECE CUT.

FROZEN CHICKEN - Continued

COMMODITY A (CUT-UP)--CONTINUED

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
ROCKINGHAM POULTRY COOP., INC. BROADWAY, VA		
WESTBURY, NY	190,000	0.6199
E. HARTFORD, CT	114,000	0.6179

PECO FOODS INC.

TUSCALOOSA, AL		
GRANITE CITY, IL	456,000	0.5959
GAINESVILLE, FL	38,000	0.5990
LAKELAND, FL	76,000	0.6008

HOLLY CREEK FRYERS INC.

BROKEN BOW, OK		
SALT LAKE CITY, UT	38,000	0.6358*
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK	38,000	0.6070*
TULSA, OK	152,000	0.6070*
SPOKANE, WA	38,000	0.6450
PORTLAND, OR	114,000	0.6490*

ALLE PROCESSING CORP.

BROOKLYN, NY		
WESTBURY, NY	38,000	0.5900

VICTOR F. WEAVER, INC.

NEW HOLLAND, PA		
ORANGEBURG, SC	76,000	0.6021
HOLLEY, NY	76,000	0.6192
LOUISA, KY	114,000	0.6047

FIELDALD CORP.

BALDWIN, GA		
NASHUA, NH	38,000	0.6170
MORGANTON, NC	38,000	0.5990
N. WILKESBORO, NC	114,000	0.5990
MADISON, AL	76,000	0.6081*
EASTMONT, AL	38,000	0.6081*
BIRMINGHAM, AL	76,000	0.6081*
FAYETTEVILLE, NC	38,000	0.6021
SMITHFIELD, NC	38,000	0.6021
RAMA, NC	38,000	0.5980
NASHVILLE, NC	38,000	0.6021
CHARLESTON, WV	228,000	0.6175*
LAKELAND, FL	114,000	0.6042
FT. MYERS, FL	38,000	0.6042
LAKE WALES FL	38,000	0.6042

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AWARDS

FROZEN CHICKEN - Continued

COMMOOITY A (CUT-UP)--CONTINUEO

COMPANY & F.O.B. OESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
GRESS FOOS		
GAINESVILLE, GA		
ASHEVILLE, NC	76,000	0.5989
CHARLOTTE, NC	152,000	0.5989
SALISBURY, NC	38,000	0.6009
LUMBERTON, NC	38,000	0.6055
JACKSONVILLE, NC	38,000	0.6082
GREENVILLE, NC	38,000	0.6055
GOLOENROO BROILERS, INC.		
CULLMAN, AL		
FT. WAYNE, IN	38,000	0.6075
CAMBRIDGE CITY, IN	114,000	0.6070
ROCCO FARM FOOS, INC.		
EDINBURG, VA		
BRONX, NY	266,000	0.6049
PORT NEWARK, NJ	38,000	0.6049
VINELANO, NJ	76,000	0.6049
CHOCTAW MAID FARMS, INC.		
CARTHAGE, MS		
JACKSONVILLE, FL (F.A.S.)	152,000	0.5905
BATON ROUGE, LA	38,000	0.5903
CORPUS CHRISTI, TX	38,000	0.5984
MCALLEN, TX	38,000	0.6010
HOUSTON, TX	38,000	0.5958
FT. WAYNE, IN	76,000	0.5997
PHOENIX, AZ	190,000	0.6195
MOBILE, AL	38,000	0.5905
LUFKIN, TX	76,000	0.5958
SACRAMENTO, CA	266,000	0.6249

COMMODITY B (BULK PACK)

GOLO KIST, INC.		
ATLANTA, GA		
BERRYVILLE, AR	144,000	0.5274
WESTFIELD, WI	144,000	0.5374
O. K. FOODS INC.		
FT. SMITH, AR		
FT. SMITH, AR	180,000	0.5148
TYSON FOOS, INC.		
SPRINGDALE, AR		
BERRYVILLE, AR	144,000	0.5400

FROZEN GROUND PORK

COMPANY/PROCESSING POINT & F.O.B. OESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
BO PACKING CO.		
CHICAGO, IL		
EAST HARTFORD, CT	38,500	0.9756
IOWA CITY, IA	38,500	0.9500
BATON ROUGE, LA	38,500	0.9730
LANDOVER, MO	77,000	0.9687
MALDEN, MO	38,500	0.9592
SPRINGFIELD, MO	38,500	0.9611
ST. LOUIS, MO	77,000	0.9552
SANTA ANA, CA	38,500	1.0042
BINGHAMTON, NY	38,500	0.9702
BRONX, NY	346,500	0.9722
BUFFALO, NY	38,500	0.9637
MARLBORO, NY	77,000	0.9740
WESTBURY, NY	154,000	0.9740
CHARLOTTE, NC	38,500	0.9721
GREENSBORO, NC	38,500	0.9721
HILLSBORO, NC	38,500	0.9721
MORGANTON, NC	38,500	0.9721
N. WILKESBORO, NC	38,500	0.9721
RAMA, NC	38,500	0.9721
SALISBURY, NC	38,500	0.9721
WINSTON-SALEM, NC	38,500	0.9724
TOLEDO, OH	115,500	0.9556
TROTWOOD, OH	77,000	0.9556
YOUNGSTOWN, OH	38,500	0.9588
ZANESVILLE, OH	38,500	0.9574
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK	38,500	0.9730
COLUMBIA, SC	38,500	0.9738
EAST GREENVILLE, SC	38,500	0.9718
TOTAL AWARDED - 1,732,500 LBS.		
LAKESIDE PACKING CO.		
PLAINVIEW, MN		
LOS ANGELES, CA	231,000	0.9980
SACRAMENTO, CA	192,500	0.9980
TOTAL AWARDED - 423,500 LBS.		

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AWARDS

FROZEN BEEF PATTIES

COMPANY/PROCESSING POINT & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
TYPE 3 - 100% BEEF PATTIES		
GOLDBERGER, INC. MINNEAPOLIS, MN		
IOWA CITY, IA	37,800	1.0025
ROANOKE, VA	37,800	1.0289
TOTAL AWARDED - 75,600 LBS.		
MONFORT OF COLORADO, INC. GREELEY, CO		
BIRMINGHAM, AL	37,800	1.0222
GADSDEN, AL	37,800	1.0222
MAOISON, AL	75,600	1.0222
DENVER, CO	75,600	0.9956
MIAMI PLANTATION, FL	37,800	1.0407
W. PALM BEACH, FL	37,800	1.0407
NAMPA, ID	75,600	1.0177
ST. LOUIS, MO	37,800	1.0154
CULPEPER, VA	37,800	1.0359
JOHNSON CITY, TN	37,800	1.0219
KENBRIDGE, VA	37,800	1.0359
SO. POCOMOKE, MO	37,800	1.0333
TOTAL AWARDED - 567,000 LBS.		
ROCHESTER MEATS, INC. ROCHESTER, MN		
IOWA CITY, IA	37,800	1.0122
CHARLESTON, WV	151,200	1.0214
TOTAL AWARDED - 189,000 LBS.		
TAYLOR PACKING CO., INC. WYALUSING, PA		
BOSTON, MA	37,800	1.0370
BROCKTON, MA	37,800	1.0370
NASHUA, NH	37,800	1.0370
PORT NEWARK, NJ	37,800	1.0290
VINELAND, NJ	151,200	1.0325
TOTAL AWARDED - 302,400 LBS.		
FALKENSTEIN'S MEAT CO. EUGENE, OR		
AGANA (GUAM), GQ	37,800	1.1834
TOTAL AWARDED - 37,800 LBS.		


FROZEN BEEF PATTIES - Continued

COMPANY/PROCESSING POINT & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
TYPE 4 - BEEF PATTIES AND VPP		
GOLDBERGER, INC. MINNEAPOLIS, MN		
ATLANTA, GA	75,600	0.8281
CLEVELAND, GA	37,800	0.8378
GRIFFIN, GA	75,600	0.8388
MARIETTA, GA	37,800	0.8388
HOLLAND, MI	75,600	0.8208
KALAMAZOO, MI	37,800	0.8208
LANSING, MI	151,200	0.8217
LIVONIA, MI	37,800	0.8236
MARSHALL, MI	37,800	0.8206
ALBUQUERQUE, NM	37,800	0.8510
PHILADELPHIA, PA	151,200	0.8409
PITTSBURGH, PA	113,400	0.8325
TOTAL AWARDED - 869,400 LBS.		
ATLANTIC MEAT CO. SAVANNAH, GA		
AUGUSTA, GA	37,800	0.8320
DORAVILLE, GA	37,800	0.8330
TOTAL AWARDED - 75,600 LBS.		

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COMPANY/PROCESSING POINT & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
BULK FROZEN GROUND BEEF AND VPP		
PECK MEAT PACKING CORP.		
MILWAUKEE, WI		
ALBUQUERQUE, NM	77,000	0.8389
COLUMBIA, SC	38,500	0.8121
CONWAY, SC	38,500	0.8224
EAST GREENVILLE, SC	38,500	0.8224
BARCELONETA, PR	346,500	0.9144
TOTAL AWARDED -	539,000 LBS.	



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